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Subject: RE: Nominations for Round Table on cordwood test method development

Stef, is EPA planning on providing any travel support for these meetings?

From: Johnson, Steffan <johnson.steffan@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, August 1, 2019 4:07 PM
To: Lisa Rector <lrector@nescaum.org>; Bob Lebens <blebens@westar.org>
Subject: Nominations for Round Table on cordwood test method development

Lisa and Bob,

You each likely know that EPA will soon kick off some round-table meetings to discuss cordwood test method development.

Our goal is to leverage existing methodologies and data to put together a test method that would provide for more consistent and reasonable emissions measurements in future rulemakings. I say it that way because a new test method means a new standard, both promulgated and both technically sound.

To that end, we are soliciting nominations for folks who you would like us to invite to the kick off round table meeting. Date, time and location yet to be chosen, though for some logistical reasons it may be here in RTP (this allows me to get my leadership in the room to kick off the discussion).

I have a list of "usual suspects" but I don't want to overlook anyone you feel would provide crucial or otherwise substantial input to the process, so please feel free to nominate folks who you think would provide value. We will be communicating outward to the public from these proceedings, and so we would like to request that your list not include "listeners", but that you limit your input to those you feel truly need a forum for their voice.

I have extended a similar offer to John Crouch at HPBA, and will also be communicating with our North American based, EPA Approved testing laboratories.

I await your reply and your nominations. FYI – it is looking like early November, at this point, for the first meeting.

Please let me know if you have any questions, and thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Stef

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